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SUBJECT: UNCLOS III: THIRD COMMITTEE DAILY REPORT FOR 31 AUGUST 1976

1. THE COMMITTEE AGAIN MET AS A FULL COMMITTEE IN THE MORNING AND IN A SMALL NEGOTIATING GROUP IN THE AFTERNOON. THE PACE CONTINUED TO BE PAINFULLY SLOW.

2. IN THE MORNING SESSION PARA 30.2 WAS UNDER DISCUSSION. ATTEMPTS BY CUBA AND ARGENTINA TO WEAKEN THE COASTAL STATE TERRITORIAL SEA ENFORCEMENT POWER, SUPPORTED BY THE USSR, BULGARIA, AND THE GDR, BROUGHT STRONG STATEMENTS FROM CANADA, NEW ZEALAND, AND THE U.S. THAT THE BALANCE OF ARTICLE 30 WAS INDEED VERY DELICATE AND ANY ATTEMPTS TO CHANGE 30.2 WOULD OPEN UP THE QUESTION OF THE WHOLE VESSEL SOURCE POLLUTION PACKAGE.

3. IN THE AFTERNOON SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION CONTINUED
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ON ARTICLE 27 PARAGRAPHS 4-8 WITH NO SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES

BEING ADOPTED AND DISCUSSION AGAIN SUPPORTING THE RSNT
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